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FORESTRY AND LUMBER IN CZECHOSLOVAKIALUMBER PRODUCTION -- Lidova Demokracie, No 226, 28 Sep 48

Lumber production in the Czech provinces from 1 October 1947 to 30 June 1948 amounted to 8,790,000 cubic meters with the bark. The 1947-48 production plan, fixed at 6,560,000 cubic meters, was thus exceeded by 223,000 cubic meters, or 3.4 percent. In Bohemia it was exceeded by 7.4 percent; in Moravia and Silesia, by 2.2 percent.

NEW PRODUCTION TECHNIQUE -- Uredni List, No 226, 25 Sep 48

The Solo national enterprise at Rasice will introduce a novelty in production and in our wood industry in general -- the production of wood-fiber boards from scraps of sawed lumber. These boards will be used in construction.

RESTRICTIONS ON LUMBER -- Svobodne Slovo, No 236, 9 Oct 48

Owing to the abundance of brick and the shortage of lumber, the Prague council decided today that any buildings requiring a large amount of lumber in their construction may be built only in exceptional circumstances.

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